

Amendments To Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings of claims in the specification:

Listing of Claims:

Claims 1-5 (Canceled)

Claim 6 (Currently Amended): A connector for at least two electrical conductors, said connector comprising:

a contact carrier including a contact-making side with at least two receiving parts disposed at said contact-making side, each of said receiving parts having a contact partner disposed to provide electrical contact to an electrical conductor; and

a contact carrier sleeve having a catch device disposed to be attached to a second connector ~~having a second contact carrier sleeve~~, said contact carrier sleeve having an opening disposed to fit about said contact carrier so that said contact carrier sleeve is fixed at a first rotational position about said contact carrier so that said contact carrier sleeve can be moved along a length of said contact carrier without rotation about said contact carrier from said first rotational position, and said contact carrier sleeve opening can be further disposed so that said contact carrier sleeve is fixed at a second ~~rotation~~ rotational position about said contact carrier so that said contact carrier sleeve can be moved along the length of said contact carrier without rotation about said contact carrier from said second rotational position.

Claim 7 (Previously Presented): The connector according to claim 6, wherein the opening in said contact carrier sleeve is rectangular and an exterior surface of said contact carrier is rectangular so that said contact carrier sleeve opening is disposed about said contact carrier rectangular exterior surface.

Claim 8 (Previously Presented): The connector according to claim 6, further comprising:
a catch system means for detachably retaining said contact carrier sleeve to said contact carrier at a longitudinal position along said contact carrier when said contact carrier sleeve opening is disposed to fit about said contact carrier.

Claim 9 (Previously Presented): The connector according to claim 6, further comprising:
a catch system means for permanently retaining said contact carrier at a longitudinal position along said contact carrier when said contact carrier sleeve opening is disposed to fit about said contact carrier.

Claim 10 (Previously Presented): The connector according to claim 6, further comprising:
a peripheral projection disposed to extend out from said contact carrier sleeve and into said contact carrier sleeve opening, and a peripheral recess disposed to extend into said exterior surface of said contact carrier,
wherein said peripheral projection is disposed to fit into said peripheral recess when said contact carrier sleeve is disposed to fit about said contact carrier.

Claim 11 (Previously Presented) The contact according to claim 6, further comprising:
a peripheral recess disposed to extend into said contact carrier sleeve about said contact carrier sleeve opening, and a peripheral projection disposed to extend out from an exterior surface of said contact carrier,
wherein said peripheral projection is disposed to fit into said peripheral recess when said contact carrier sleeve is disposed to fit about said contact carrier.

Claim 12 (Previously Presented): The connector according to claim 6, further comprising:
a bevel surface disposed on said contact carrier about a cable side surface on said contact carrier, said cable side surface disposed at an end of the length of said contact carrier and said contact-making side disposed at an opposite end of the length of said contact carrier from said cable side surface.

Claim 13 (Previously Presented): The connector according to claim 6, further comprising:
a seal means for forming a closure between said contact carrier sleeve opening and the length of said contact carrier.